

Sponsored by Fredericksburg Parks & Recreation and the Woman's Club of Fredericksburg

65th Annual Fredericksburg Art Show & Sale

March 18, 2016- March 20, 2016

Dorothy Hart Community Center 408 Canal St. Fredericksburg, VA

Show Rules

- Entry fee is \$10.00 for each piece of artwork submitted.
- All entries **MUST BE FOR SALE**.
- Exhibitors must be at least 18 years of age and out of high school.
- Exhibit space is limited to 350 entries and fills on a first-come, first-served basis. **Registrations will be accepted until the exhibit fills or the deadline of February 26, whichever comes first.** Entries previously exhibited in this show will not be accepted.
- If item entered is a copy of another artist's or photographer's work, it must be indicated as such (i.e., "In the style of...").
- The Art Show Committee reserves the right to select work to be included in the show and the right to reject any work which it deems offensive to community sensitivities. An artist whose work is declined will be notified prior to the show's opening.
- The judge(s) will select winners. Keep in mind "originality" is a major consideration in judging.
- The following will NOT be considered for judging: Unframed pieces without finished edges and/or pieces in a category with less than 10 total entries.
- No commercial reproductions will be accepted.
- Liability: All possible care will be taken of artwork, but the Woman's Club and/or the Parks, Recreation & Public Facilities Department will not be responsible for items exhibited.
- Neither the Woman's Club nor the Parks and Recreation Department will pay repair or replacement costs for any pieces lost, stolen or damaged while at the Community Center.
- All admitted entries MUST remain on exhibit during the entire length of the show.
- Artists NOT adhering to the Exhibit rules may become INELIGIBLE for future admission.

Categories

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| • OIL PAINTS | • PHOTOGRAPHY - <i>Includes film & digital photography</i> |
| • PASTELS | • 3-D SCULPTURE - <i>Includes clay, ceramic, wood, metal, stone</i> |
| • WATERCOLOR PAINTS - <i>Includes acrylics & gouache used as watercolor</i> | • MIXED MEDIA - <i>Combining more than one medium. No computer generated artwork</i> |
| • ACRYLIC PAINTS - <i>Includes acrylics used as oils</i> | • NOVICE - <i>Beginning artists with two years or less of art experience</i> |
| • DRAWING - <i>Includes pencil, ink, sumi, charcoal, crayon</i> | |

Entry Requirements

- Hanging entries are not to exceed 28" x 40" INCLUDING frame. 3-D entries are not to exceed 38" high nor 38" wide at the widest points. This is length and width, not total square inches.
- No picture with gallery clips or saw tooth hangers will be accepted. Entries must be framed with hanging wire (no string) adequate to support the weight. Canvas entries may be un-framed but must have finished edges/sides.
- No wet artwork or frames.
- Entry must be titled (25 spaces or less).
- 18% commission will be charged on all sales. Sales tax will be collected and forwarded to the artist, who is responsible for paying sales tax to VA on sold items.

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Awards

- **Best in Show:** \$500
- **Popular Vote:** \$50
- **Awarded in each category:** 1st Place: \$100 2nd Place: Ribbon 3rd Place: Ribbon
- **Marguerite Wyant Memorial Award \$25:** Awarded to Novice Entrant in honor of Marguerite Wyant who taught for the Fredericksburg Parks and Recreation Department for over 25 years.
- **Shannon Broom Memorial Award: \$25** Awarded to Drawing Entrant, this award is given by the Woman's Club of Fredericksburg, in memory of young artist Shannon Broom, who won two awards in her initial exhibit in 1998.

Important Dates

- February 26 (before 4:00pm) Deadline for Payment and Entry Forms. Must be dropped off in person or mailed to:
Dorothy Hart Community Center
Attn: Fred. Art Show
408 Canal St
Fredericksburg, VA 22401
NOTE: Exhibit space is limited to 350 pieces and may fill prior to deadline. No artwork will be accepted until check-in, no exceptions.
- March 14 Artist Check In from 10:00am - 6:00pm at the Dorothy Hart Community Center (address above) *Please be on time. We will open and close promptly at times provided.*
- March 15 Artist Check In from 10:00am - 6:00pm at the Dorothy Hart Community Center (address above) *Please be on time. We will open and close promptly at times provided.*
- March 17 Artist's Preview Reception, 7:00pm at the Dorothy Hart Community Center (address above)
By invitation only. Only 1 guest per artist. Awards will be announced.
- March 18 Show Opens to Public (see Show Hours for details).
- March 20 Artist Check Out from 4:00pm - 5:30pm *All artwork must be picked up at this time. If you are unable to pick it up, you MUST send someone in your place. Any unclaimed work will be donated to various local charities Monday morning after the show ends. By submitting this entry form you are giving your consent that you understand this requirement.*

Show Hours**

- Friday, March 18 2:00pm - 6:00pm
- Saturday, March 19 10:00am - 6:00pm
- Sunday, March 20 10:00am - 4:00pm

***Show hours are subject to inclement weather. If City Schools are closed or have a delayed opening, the Dorothy Hart Community Center will follow suit. If City Schools have an early dismissal, the Community Center will make their own decision.*

Please register for Fredericksburg Alert at www.fredericksburgalert.com to stay up to date.

Entry Form - Please Print Clearly

Artist Name: _____

Artist Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Daytime Phone: _____

Payment (\$10 fee for each piece of artwork submitted):

☐ Cash ☐ Check/Money Order payable to "City of Fredericksburg" ☐ Credit Card Type: (Visa, M/C, Amex, Discover)

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

All works submitted must be FOR SALE. All titles are 25 spaces or less! Must use the categories for judging.

Entry # 1 Category Name _____ Price \$ _____

Title | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |

Entry # 2 Category Name _____ Price \$ _____

Title | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |

Entry # 3 Category Name _____ Price \$ _____

Title | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |

Entry # 4 Category Name _____ Price \$ _____

Title | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |

I have read, understand, and agree to comply with all show policies, rules, and decisions made by the Art Show Committee. I agree that all of the payment information provided is valid.

Signature (Required) _____ Date _____

Entry #1 - Attach to BACK of artwork, lower left-hand corner.

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Category: _____

Price: _____

Entry #2 - Attach to BACK of artwork, lower left-hand corner.

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Category: _____

Price: _____

Entry #3 - Attach to BACK of artwork, lower left-hand corner.

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Category: _____

Price: _____

Entry #4 - Attach to BACK of artwork, lower left-hand corner.

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Category: _____

Price: _____